

Attorney's Docket No.: 05542-539001
Client's Ref. No.: 8114/CMP

OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION FACSIMILE:

OFFICIAL FAX NO: (703) 872-9306

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

MAR 09 2005

Number of pages including this page (4)

Applicant : Jeffrey Drue David
Serial No. : 10/643,583
Filed : August 18, 2003

Art Unit : 3723
Examiner : Maurina T. Rachuba

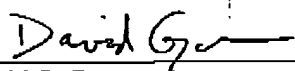
Title : PLATEN AND HEAD ROTATION RATES FOR MONITORING CHEMICAL
MECHANICAL POLISHING

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attached to this facsimile communication cover sheet is Request For Continued Examination (RCE) and an Information Disclosure Statement, faxed this 9th day of March, 2005, to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 9, 2005


David J. Goren
Reg. No. 34,609

Telephone: (650) 839-5070
Fax: (650) 839-5071

50265194.doc

NOTE: This facsimile is intended for the addressee only and may contain privileged or confidential information. If you have received this facsimile in error, please immediately call us collect at (650) 839-5070 to arrange for its return. Thank you.

FISH & RICHARDSON P.C.

Substitute Form PTO/SB/30 (5-03)


Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Application Number	10/643,583
	Filing Date	August 18, 2003
	First Named Inventor	Jeffrey Drue David
	Group Art Unit	3723
	Examiner Name	Maurina T. Rachuba
	Attorney Docket Number	8114-539001

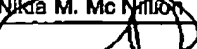
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s)
- a. ☒ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendment filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
- i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- ii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iv. ☐ Other _____
2. **Miscellaneous**
- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other _____
3. **Fee** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed.
- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☒ Other Any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 06-1050
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed
- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

MAR 09 2005

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED			
Name (Print/Type)	David J. Goren	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	34,809
Signature		Date	3/9/05

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 or facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.	
Name (Print/Type)	Nikita M. McMillan
Signature	
Date	March 9, 2005